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Group Art Unit: 3726

Serial No.: 10/707,063

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In response to the Office Action dated July 14, 2005, and having a shortened statutory period for response running to and including September 14, 2005, Applicant responds as follows: